Supreme Court Criminal Sittings, 1924.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1923, page 2871.)

CRIMINAL sittings of the Supreme Court for the year 1924 have been fixed as follows:—

AUCKLAND, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 5th February. Tuesday, 6th May. Tuesday, 29th July. Tuesday, 28th October.

Hamilton, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 26th February. Tuesday, 10th June. Tuesday, 2nd September. Tuesday, 25th November.

NEW PLYMOUTH, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 19th February. Tuesday, 13th May. Tuesday, 12th August. Tuesday, 25th November.

GISBORNE, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Monday, 10th March. Monday, 9th June. Monday, 25th August. Monday, 1st December.

Wanganui, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 12th February. Tuesday, 20th May. Tuesday, 19th August. Tuesday, 18th November.

Wellington, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 5th February. Tuesday, 6th May. Tuesday, 29th July. Tuesday, 28th October.

Palmerston North, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m. :-

Tuesday, 5th February. Tuesday, 6th May. Tuesday, 5th August. Tuesday, 4th November.

NAPIER, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 26th February. Wednesday, 4th June. Tuesday, 19th August. Tuesday, 11th November.

MASTERTON, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 11th March. Tuesday, 2nd September.

Nelson, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 4th March. Tuesday, 10th June. Tuesday, 25th November.

BLENHEIM, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 26th February. Wednesday, 4th June. Tuesday, 18th November.

Christchurch, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.;-

Monday, 11th February. Monday, 12th May. Monday, 18th August. Monday, 10th November.

TIMARU, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 5th February. Tuesday, 6th May. Tuesday, 5th August. Tuesday, 28th October, Horitika, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Wednesday, 5th March. Wednesday, 25th June. Wednesday, 17th September.

GREYMOUTH, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m. :—

Wednesday, 5th March. Wednesday, 25th June. Wednesday, 17th September.

Westport, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Wednesday, 5th March. Wednesday, 25th June. Wednesday, 17th September.

Dunedin, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:-

Tuesday, 12th February. Tuesday, 6th May. Tuesday, 5th August. Tuesday, 4th November.

Invercargill, to commence on the following days, at 10.30 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 26th February. Tuesday, 20th May. Tuesday, 19th August. Tuesday, 18th November.

Oamaru, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m.:— Wednesday, 6th February. Wednesday, 3rd September.

[Note,—Returns of prisoners dealt with at the above Courts are to be made out by officers in charge at the places at which the Courts are held, and forwarded immediately after each sitting to the Commissioner of Police, Wellington, in envelopes marked "For Gazette." In the event of there being no prisoners for trial or sentence on the date appointed for the sittings of the Court, a "Nil" return must be furnished.]

SITTINGS IN BANCO AND IN CHAMBERS.

Sittings of the Court in Banco will be held at the Court-house, Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, every Wednesday, at half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon, except during vacation or the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers will be held at the Judge's Chambers, in the Courthouse, Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, every Tuesday and Friday, at half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon, except during vacation or the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers at other times and in vacation, in respect of urgent business, may be held at such times and places as may suit the convenience of the Judge.

In all other cities and towns in which sittings of the Court are held, such business in Banco and in Chambers as the judge shall allow may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

PROVISION AS TO HOLIDAYS.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings shall be a public holiday, the sittings shall commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday. It shall be lawful for any one or more Judges of the Supreme Court to order that the Supreme Court and the offices thereof at any place shall be closed for any public or proclaimed holiday in the district.

Sittings of Court of Appeal.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1923, page 2869.)

In the Supreme Court House, Wellington, upon the following days, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon:

Monday, 17th March, 1924; By the First Division of the said Court.

Monday, 30th June, 1924: By the Second Division of the said Court.

Monday, 29th September, 1924: By the First Division of the said Court,